January 22, 2002

BY HAND

Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. - Suite TW-A325 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Comments

In the Matter of Special Access Services, CC Docket No. 01-321

Dear Ms. Salas:

On January 22, 2002, WorldCom, Inc. submitted a written *comments* governing the provision of interstate special access services by Tier 1/Class A incumbent local exchange carriers.

Pursuant to section 1.415 and 1.419 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. an original and one copy of these comments are being provided to you for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

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